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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Charlotte, North Carolina
August 22, 2006

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 24, 2006, kindly consider the following amendments and remarks. Also enclosed are (i) a Petition for a 3 month Extension of time; (ii) credit card form and (iii) a copy of Applicants' European Representative's correspondence to WIPO requesting certified copies of the priority documents be forwarded to the US Patent Office.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 13 of this paper.